

THE GREAT RACE.

Under the head "The Great Race and the Greatest Victory," the National Free-for-all Entries for the Race to be Run on Uncle Sam's Tracks, Harrison Wins in One Heat, Distancing Everything; a Straight Tip on the Dash of November 6th," Sam Davis had the following in his Appeal at Carson, Nevada, October 27th. In all the campaign literature of the year there is probably nothing more pointedly witty and at the same time profoundly wise.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT.

Uncle Sam's speed programme, over National track. November 6th, 1888, free to all the natives of the United States. To wagon with running mate; single all day dash; purse \$200,000; in four yearly parts of \$50,000 each, \$10,000 added by His Excellency, the President, for largest and things for the boys.

ENTRIES.—Prohibitionists enter the Union war horse General Fisk, by promotion out of Volunteer; dam Stupid, by Ueuses, out of Mistake. Running mate, Thankgood Brooks, out of Original Fountain, by Coldstream, he by Idealist out of Old Toper, dam Blunder, out of Good Intent. Record, first entry. Driver, St. John; colors, water and tea.

The ladies name gray filly Belva Lockwood, by Equality out of Voter; dam Commendable, out of Fair Play; age unknown; record, distanced in 1884 same track. Running mate, Alfred Love, a helper horse, by Zerkie, out of Original Amor; dam Happy, by Anticipation. Driver, Lady Bloomer; colors, silk stockings, striped and embroidered.

American party names J. Langdon Curtis, a New York colt, by Home Rule, out of Belle Box, dam Francis, by Immigrant out of Foreigner. Running mate, Wigginton, by Argonaut out of California Democrat; record, first entry. Driver, Pixley; colors, red, white and blue.

Democracy enters English Clyde stallion G. Cleveland, weight 45 stone 10; by imported Free Trade, out of Cobden Club, he by English Cob Necessity; dam Luck, by Inbred from (Tuneful) Lyre and Mugwump; Mugwump out of Civil Service Reform, by dam Folly. Record, scratched a race 1884 over same track by fouling of Competitor St. John on Competitor Blaine. Running mate, Old Roman (formerly Thurman) out of Copperhead, by Rebel Brigadier; dam Sectional, out of Solid South, he by Inbred from Klukux and Bulldozer. Driver, Janyu Boal; colors, English Jack and big bandana, twisted. (This team may be handicapped by governor of New York.)

Republican names American thoroughbred Ben Harrison, by Revolutionary Sire, out of Original Yankee; dam Splendid, out of Prosperity; Prosperity out of Protection, he by Inbred from Industry and Breadwinner. Record, never lost a heat. Running mate, Level Motion, by Democrat out of True Blue; dam, Charlotte, out of Generosity. Driver, Jimmy G. Blaine (with his clubs); colors, American flag aloft.

The great race of November 6th, which was advertised in these columns yesterday, has not exactly come off yet, but the result is so certain that the Appeal feels perfectly justified in reporting the affair in advance, that people who are anxious to know the result may be put out of the suspense.

The arrangements for a race between the leading horses has been pending for a long time.

Some parties who were anxious to back Grover Cleveland met at St. Louis, and there made the necessary arrangements.

Shortly afterward a crowd met at Chicago, and after spending several days in inspecting the merits of the horse, finally selected General Harrison as the animal best adapted for so important a race as the one set for November 6th.

Harrison was a well-known Indiana horse who had before proven his speed and bottom. He came from the hardest kind of Revolutionary stock, and his pedigree and blood were of the finest quality.

When the election was made he went into training immediately at Indianapolis, and those who have witnessed how rapidly he got in condition and improved, were loud in their praises of the sure-footed, clean-limbed animal.

He was out for exercise every day and never lost a mile.

CLEVELAND'S CONDITION.

The Appeal reporter visited Grover Cleveland at the White House stables a few days before the race. He was in bad form, too fat for a staying race and his head seemed swelled as if he had been butting it against the side of his stall.

The jockey, Dan Lamont, was not pleased with the horse and said he was working hard to get the big hay-belly off him before the race.

The horse had evidently been overfed and his flesh hung all over him. Dan Lamont said he was trying to "reduce the surplus," but making very little headway.

Several members of the Cobden Club were there doing him with free trade boluses which the horse swallowed with avidity but the effect was not good.

One of the horse's blankets was worth nothing. It had been sent over by Queen Victoria, and the flag of St. George, and the motto "God Save the Queen," had been worked on it with the Queen's own hand. It was highly prized in the stables.

OTHER ENTRIES.

The size of the purse hung up by the United States' authorities tempted other flyers to enter.

Some Americans in New York entered J. Langdon Curtis, but it was feared that the driver, Pixley, would be so full on the day of the race that he couldn't keep the track.

Gov. Fisk had been also entered by the Prohibitionists, but they were not backing him at the polls.

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THE NEW SCIENCE.

"Christian Science" in The North-west [Minneapolis Tribune.]

"Isn't this new Christian science just lovely?" said the young lady from St. Paul, as she chatted with her Minneapolis friend over the bargain counter.

"What on earth is that? I never heard of that," and the Minneapolis girl peered around excitedly on the feminine glitter of a big dry goods house. Was it possible that there was a new fad in the fashions and she ignorant, horrible!

"Oh, my, it isn't to wear," smiled the other condescendingly rummaging over the pile of ribbons reduced from fifty cents to ten cents. "It's something you do. It's a new science, a sort of medium, as you say, just perfectly wild over it. Pa says, whenever we talk of it, and you know how set pa is? well, he says rats, and slams the doors, but it makes no difference to ma and I. Pa is not at all in spiritual things, and ma is so progressive. Why do you know, selecting a collar reduced from fifteen to fourteen, 'it is more fun than anything.'"

"But what do you do?" persisted the other, grabbing over another woman's head at a reduced handkerchief.

"Why, we just deny things; sickness, you know, headaches or neuralgia or anything. We say, there is no pain and there isn't. That is we believe there isn't, which is the same thing."

"Still I can't understand."

"Well, I should remark you couldn't. Nobody can until they are instructed. Ma and I paid \$100 for the full course. We were just as ignorant as you. We were just awfully dull at the beginning and now, we can do just anything."

"How do you do it?" said the Minneapolis girl with growing interest.

"I told you by denying it," snapped the other. "Our hired girl had an awful toothache, and was going to quit right in the middle of house-cleaning. Will you believe me, ma just began to deny it, and say there is no pain; there is nothing but good. She told the girl to say it, too. The next day the girl was well. Pa said, but pa can be so disagreeable, most people are who are without inner vision, he said it was nothing on earth but crocodiles and camphor and liniment and ashes."

"That night had helped her," ventured the Minneapolis girl.

"Not at all. It was just ma's going off in a dark room by herself, shutting her teeth, fixing her eyes and denying it, that did it."

"How lovely that must be," sighed the other, enviously regarding the wise St. Paul girl.

The friends having finished the purchase of two yards of lace and the collar, and having handled everything within reach, tripped to the outer door. They discovered too the proximity of a French boot-heel and a Bermuda banana peel.

There was a flutter, a crash and a swift running of chromatic scales. The lovely St. Paul girl was curled up like a white pine shaving.

"Oh, dear! Oh! dear! I've got an internal injury. My arm is broken and my back. O! my head, my head," and she climbed up into the arms of her friend.

"Not at all," smiled the other girl cheerfully. There's nothing the matter with you. You're not hurt a bit. There's no pain. You're just as well as I am. You didn't break your back or skin your elbow or bump your head, all is good."

"Why, you nasty thing," sobbed the dusty brooded St. Paul belle. "Do you suppose I would fib? Do you think that horrible fall didn't hurt me? Just give me my parcel. I don't thank you for such insinuations."

"But there is no pain," you said so. I was just practicing your science. I thought—" "Oh! You thought you would be smart. Well, there's my car. It's time for my train. Good evening to you," and off she bounded.

The Minneapolis girl prinked herself a minute before the show-window, which isn't a bad mirror, and started home, murmuring: "Wasn't that funny."

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Hon. Geo. F. Ecton was last week re-elected to the Illinois Senate from the Third district. He was formerly a slave in this county, being owned by Margaret Ecton, and at the time of his election was head waiter in a Chicago hotel.—Winchester Democrat.

Mrs. J. T. Hugely entertained on Wednesday afternoon, from 5 to 7 o'clock, in honor of her guests, Mrs. J. A. Hugely and Miss Cronwell. Mrs. Hugely was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Robert Harding. The house was beautifully decorated with flowers and the occasion much enjoyed by all present.—Danville Advocate.

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Dr. L. H. BLANTON,

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My Dear Doctor—Last fall I started my oldest son, (then in his twelfth year) with some misgivings as to the wisdom of the step to the Preparatory Department of your college; and during the second year, which has just closed, my special and critical attention has been constantly directed to the conduct of that department; and I wish to bear voluntary testimony that he has received careful, patient and thorough instruction from those in charge, and has made gratifying progress, not alone in the studies pursued, but also in mental training and capacity for application.

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We were requested to publish the above and to ask the City Council of Lexington to be as considerate of the churches of Lexington as Carlisle is of theirs. It might be extended to theaters, halls, the Court-house and city hall. Giving the informer half or all the fine and splitting would be much better than public places.—Lexington Gazette.

Mrs. Mildred Lewis Parrish, who is now at Flannagan's Mill, Va., writes to a friend that Miss Mamie Bryant, who used to attend the College here, and who frequently visited here, was on the ill-fated train on the C. & O. which ran off the track near Charleston and was completely turned over. She was on her way to Lexington to attend the marriage of her brother Harry to a daughter of Ex-Gov. Rount, and although she received no physical injury, she suffered what is worse to a lady, the loss of her trunk and its contents, which included all her "finery." She was too disheartened to continue her journey and returned home. Mrs. Parrish has suffered an accident since she left here last month, which necessitates the use of crutches, but she is improving, we are glad to hear.—Stanford Journal.

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NEWS PARAGRAPHS.

The National Board of Trade, in session at Chicago, unanimously decided to hold its next annual session in Louisville.

At Rochester, N. Y., it is estimated that the total deaths by the lantern works fire will reach thirty. Five men and boys were killed by jumping, twenty-five are still missing.

Buck Combs and Fulton French were shot from ambush in Breathitt county and killed. French was one of the principals in the recent French-Eversole feud in Perry county.

Information was received here Tuesday announcing the sudden death, at New Orleans, of Mrs. M. A. Palmer, wife of the noted divine and sister of Mrs. E. M. Green, of this city.—Danville Advocate.

Pearl Wilson was acquitted in a Mississippi court of the charge of murdering James Scanlan, formerly of Louisville. The defense was that Scanlan first shot the woman and then killed himself.

The Judgeship of the Pulaski county court, which was made vacant by the unfortunate drowning of Judge Tartar, has been filled by the election of Hon. James Denton, a former member of the State Legislature.

George W. Perkins, of Harrison county, and Miss Lizzie Daley, of Scott county, Kentucky, aged respectively twenty-one and fifteen years, eloped to Aberdeen, Ohio, Monday night and were married by the Rev. Mr. Beasley.

The French steamer La Bourguie arrived in New York harbor yesterday, bearing the remains of Mrs. Deacon, daughter of the late Admiral Baldwin, who died at sea on the same day that her honored father died on shore.

Democratic guests of a Chicago hotel, as the result of a fight with their Republican fellow-boarders, sat down to a banquet of a dozen roasted crows, dispatching their meal with a fair amount of grace amid the mirth of their victorious opponents.

Fritz Anschlag, the German who was to have been executed at Los Angeles, Friday, for the murder of Mr. and Mrs. Hitecock, at Garden Grove, in January last, who also confessed the killing of Julius Fug, a neighbor in Butte county, committed suicide in jail by taking strychnine.

Robt. G. McCord, merchant, of the firm of McCord & Aydelotte, Louisville, died suddenly of the bursting of a blood vessel of the brain. Mr. McCord was aged about 60 years. His partner, Mr. Aydelotte, died under nearly the same circumstances last February.

At the session of the Woman's Congress at Detroit, Mrs. Julia Ward Howe was elected president. Among the speakers of the day's session was Miss Calhoun Keckhig, a Grecian lady, who has established successful schools in Athens and Constantinople.

The biggest business crash ever known in North Carolina occurred at Durham Thursday morning, when the following firms made assignments: The Bank of Durham, W. B. Blackwell, President, \$400,000; E. J. Parrish, \$100,000, and J. W. Blackwell, coal dealer, \$100,000.

Near Gilbert's Station, in Albemarle county, Va., Porterfield Brock was shot and killed by his son, who afterward blew out his own brains. The father was to be married soon, a fact which caused a fit of despondency on the part of the son, during which the crimes were committed.

In St. Louis, there was about to be a contest for the Democratic nomination for Congress, between Robert Kern, reared in this county, and brother of Gen. John Castleman, of Louisville. Kern retired from the contest and now we see Castleman is beaten by a Republican, by over 2,000 majority.—Louisville Post.

The new laundry raised steam Tuesday to try their machinery. Everything worked smoothly and the trial was satisfactory. The concern is now under full headway and should receive a liberal patronage from the citizens. The proprietors should be encouraged in their efforts by receiving all the work that is now sent elsewhere.—Danville Advocate.

Charles L. May, clerk for W. E. McCann & Co., this city, and Miss Halie Barbee, daughter of G. L. Barbee, of this county, and one of the belles of Fayette, departed on the 7 o'clock Cincinnati Southern train Thursday for the Queen City, where they were made husband and wife. The marriage was a very quiet one, not even their most intimate friends knowing anything of it.—Lexington Gazette.

The smallest case of petit larceny probably ever tried in this locality came up before Judge Carlwell, Saturday. George G. Gader, or "Gex," as he is called, confessed to the stealing of three napkins from Peter Borloti, October 30th. The Judge held him over in the sum of \$100 to appear before the grand jury. The napkins were worth twenty-five cents, but the same as if it had been the felonious taking of something really valuable.—Mercer Sayings and Doings.

The City Council of Carlisle, upon the petition of the ladies of that place, passed the following ordinance relative to the use of tobacco chewing: "Whereas, the use of tobacco chewing is a nuisance and a disgrace to the city of Carlisle, and it is the duty of the City Council to suppress the same, and therefore, the City Council of Carlisle, do hereby enact, that any person who shall be found chewing tobacco within the city limits, or who shall be found with tobacco in his possession, shall be fined for each offense not less than \$3 nor exceeding \$10."

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CONCERNING FARMERS.

W. B. Kidd shipped yesterday for Lehman 180 cattle, most of them export cattle, ranging in weight from 1450 to 1,600 lbs., which were purchased some two months ago at 54 cts. Lehman will lose a lot on them.—Winchester Democrat.

The Kentucky Trotting Horse Breeders' Association, Lexington, have decided to make their colt stakes, for foals of 1887 to trot in 1889, 1890 and 1891, not less than \$1,000 each; entrance \$50, payable as follows: \$10 forfeit with each nomination, \$15 on the first day of September of the year in which the race is trotted and \$25 more to start. The guaranteed amount (\$1,000) will be divided, \$600 to first, \$200 to second, \$100 to third and the excess over \$1,000, if any will go to first horse. These stakes will close about January 1st, 1889, and Secretary Tipton has every reason to expect a large list of entries.

The present hemp crop is one of the largest in years, and has cost the farmer more to handle it than any other crop in 25 years. Labor was very scarce and farmers had to stop their regular month hands and put them to cutting it, thereby throwing all other farm work behind. Some hemp has not been cut yet, and the crop generally has not been stacked just shucked or allowed to lie on the ground until it is almost ready to break. As the season for breaking draws near farmers despair of getting hands enough to break it out in good time. Altogether, things look blue for the man with a hemp crop.—Stock Farm.

Marshall county, Tenn., can justly lay claim to producing its full share of fast trotters and pacers. All of the following pairs of two-year-olds, were bred in that county, and all raised there, says the Nashville Democrat: Trotters—Boonester, 2:19; Flash, 2:18; Jimbone, 2:30; Frank Buford, 2:20; Fred Neil, 2:23; Blue Jay, 2:29; Joe Rhea, 2:23. Pacers—Brown Hall, 2:12; Little Brown Jug, 2:11; Duplex, 2:17; Bay Tom, 2:23; Bay Tom, Jr., 2:22; Johnny Woods, 2:27; Thunder, 2:22; Black Morgan, 2:21; Rebellon, 2:25; George Gordon, 2:27. Blue George, Steel Nail and Sleepy Lize, were also bred or raised in that county, but their records are not at hand.

We make a borer wash for our peach and other trees, and it answers the double purpose of keeping out the borer and keeping the bark clean and healthy. This wash is prepared by adding a common bucketful of water to two quarts of two soft soaps, half a pint of crude carbolic acid, two ounces of Paris green, with lime enough to make a thin paste that will adhere to the tree. If convenient, a little clay or fresh cow dung may be added to assist in making the wash stick. Apply it with a brush or brush the base of the tree with the wash. The rains will wash it down from time to time, and the whole trunk will receive the benefit. In spraying the trees when not in leaf I usually add a quarter of a pound or more of kerosene to each bucketful of soap, so as to make quite a strong lye. This washes not but little, and is of great value to the orchard.—American Agriculturist.

The Sportsman, in an editorial on the 22nd inst., says: "On the 5th day of October 1856, Flora Temple trotted a mile in 2:19. The performance made her the queen of the trotting turf, and also the first member of the 2:20 list, who now contains the names of 350 performers. Twenty-six of this number made their record in 1857, and 47 during the past season. Upon glancing over the list of the new comers we find that 25 are descendants of Hambleton in the male line, and that five trace to the family of Manbrino which founded in Kentucky. Six of the Hambleton representatives were the sons of that horse, 7 by grandsons, 10 by great-grandsons, and 2 by great-great-grandsons. George Wilkes and Danforth have been his most successful sons in this respect, and are together with Kentucky Princes the only sires reduplicated with two performers that made records below 2:20 this season."

Rump Steak Pie: Procure two pounds of rump steak, which is cut into thin slices, season well with prepared seasoning, dip each piece into flour, and lay them in a small pie dish, finishing the top in the form of a dome and a wingless of water, then have ready half a pound of half-pint paste, cut off a small piece, and roll it out on a board and lay round the edge of the dish, having previously wetted it with a paste brush dipped in water; then roll out the remainder of the paste to the band of the pie, and lay the other piece over, make a hole with a knife at the top, and press the edges evenly down with your thumb, trim the pie round with a knife, egg over the top with a paste brush, and ornament it with the trimmings of your paste, according to fancy; bake it rather better than an hour in a moderate oven, and serve hot or cold.

The law of this State gives a lien on the colt for stallion service, in the following language:

"Sec. 1. That the licensed keepers of stud-horses, jacks and bulls in this commonwealth have a lien upon such for the space of one year after the date of service for the payment of service of said stud-horse, jack or bull."

"Sec. 2. This act shall not apply to a bona fide purchaser, without notice of such lien."

The second section of this law, in effect, destroys the lien, for it is only necessary against an animal when the owner wants to evade his obligations; and if he does want to evade them, the second section points out a method to do it which is well understood by the class against whom the lien ought to stand. In view of the obvious state of case, the last General Assembly passed an act repealing the second section. The effects of this would have been to give the owners of stud-horses, jacks and bulls an indefeasible lien in their colts until they are one year old. Such a law would have been notice everybody, and in trading with irresponsible parties against whom a lien was needed, evidence would have been required that the season money had been paid. The amendment was wise and gave men of small means access to the best stallions. It has been represented that this repealing act passed the legislature, which was true, and breeders are resting under that assurance; but an examination finds it among the acts finally defeated, because the Governor refused to approve them. This is, therefore, to notify breeders that the lien law is unchanged and remains worthless for the assistance to one class and protection to the other it was designed to give.—Stock Farm.

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